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## Attached are the following:

- 1. FY 2008 Fee Transmittal (in duplicate);
- 2. Check Number 2470 for the amount of \$130 to cover the ten dollar (\$10) difference between the Appeal Brief Fee previously filed for this case and the Appeal Brief Fee applicable as of the date of this filing and to cover the One Month Extension fee:
- 3. Petition for Extension of Time for One Month (in duplicate);
- Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) by Real Party in Interest STAMPS.COM INC.;
- 5. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) by Real Party in Interest ISHIP INC.;
- 6. Appeal Brief, including Claims Appendix, Evidence Appendix and Related Proceedings Appendix, (Total 137 pages); and
- 7. Return post card.

A Notice of Appeal and Appeal Brief were previously filed for this case. Subsequently, an Office Action issued, reopening prosecution and providing for initiating a new appeal. See, e.g., MPEP §1207.04. In accordance with MPEP §1207.04, a new

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Notice of Appeal was filed on October 29, 2007 by U.S. Express Mail and the difference in fees for filing the Notice of Appeal was paid.

In accordance with MPEP §1207.04, a new Appeal Brief is enclosed. Further in accordance with MPEP §1207.04, it is respectfully requested that the previously paid Appeal Brief Fee be applied to the new Appeal Brief filed concurrently herewith. Since filing the original Appeal Brief and associated Appeal Brief Fee, there has been an increase in the Fee of ten (10) dollars; a check including the ten dollar (\$10) difference is enclosed.

A Petition for an Extension of Time for one month and the corresponding fee are filed concurrently herewith. It is respectfully submitted that this Appeal Brief is timely filed under 37 C.F.R. §§ 41.37(a)(1), 41.31(a), 41.31(d) and 1.136, because it is filed before the expiration of January 29, 2008, which is the end date of the one-month extension period that follows the Section 41.37 two-month period (that ended on December 29, 2007) following the October 29, 2007 filing (by U.S. Express Mail) of the Notice of Appeal.

Even so, the Commissioner is hereby authorized, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3), to treat any concurrent or future reply or correspondence for the above-identified application, requiring a petition for an extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a constructive petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time. Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, including any required extension fees, which may be required during the pendency of this application, to Deposit Account No. 501574. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

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